Yacht Club Plans Party

A buffet supper and dance will be held at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club Saturday. Plans are being arranged by Mrs. J. F. Mercer, seated left, a committee member, Mrs. W. W. Walsh, wife of the commodore, and standing back, Mrs. H. D. Middleton, left, general convener; Mrs. E. J. C. McFeeley, wife of a new yacht club member, and Mrs. K. F. McLaren, president of the women's auxiliary. Several new members will be introduced at the affair.

Clubs and Societies

St. Andrew's Cathedral Council of the CWL will hold its annual meeting Tuesday, April 7, at 8 p.m. in the parish hall.

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The Oak Bay Council of the CWL will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, in the parish hall.

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The Diocesan Mothers' Union will meet Tuesday, April 7, at 11 a.m. for corporate communion at Christ Church Cathedral followed by luncheon and a meeting in Memorial Hall.

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St. Mary's Women's Parish Guild will meet at 2.30 p.m. Tuesday in the parish hall, Yale Street.

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The Daughters of St. George, No. 83, will meet Wednesday in the Knights of Pythias hall.

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A Mother's Day tea will be held May 8 by the LA to Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans No. 12 at the Hudson's Bay Company Douglas Room. Provincial Command president, Mrs. G. Gorrie of Vancouver, will open the affair.

At the recent meeting it was reported that 39 visits were made in March to patients in the Veterans Hospital.

New members welcomed were Mrs. P. Martin and Mrs. A. Rusk.

A social evening will be held at the home of Mrs. Gar Taylor, 1531 Jubilee Avenue, on Friday.

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St. Mary's Guild at Fulford Harbor will sponsor an afternoon tea and sale of plants and home cooking will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Roddis May 6. Miss Frena Aitkens will open the tea at 2.30 p.m.

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Vancouver Island branch of the Canadian Women's Press Club will hold its quarterly meeting at 1 p.m. April 12 at the Barclay Hotel, Port Alberni.

Following the business and craft talks there will be a tour of the offices of the Twin Cities Times as the guests of the publisher, Mr. Fred Duncan. Following this, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan will preside at a cocktail hour before dinner at the hotel through the courtesy of the B.C. Power Commission.

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With their aim new furnishings for the church, the Ladies Evening Guild of St. Peter's Church will hold a Mother's Day tea April 29 in the church hall. Mrs. F. A. Goodwin will open the tea and there will be a variety of stalls.

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April 25 is the date set by the Ladies' Pharmacuetical Auxiliary for its spring dance at the Uplands Golf Club.

At the recent meeting new members were greeted by Mrs. M. S. Webb and the constitution of the new group was adopted by members. It is hoped at the April meeting to have a speaker to explain the financial requirements involved in obtaining a degree in pharmacy.

LOVELIER YOU

By Mary Sue Miller

The nightly basin laundry need not become the boresome chore most doers make of it. Washing lingerie and gloves can be dovetailed with bedtime beauty rituals, and both processes gain thereby.

It's a matter of planning: Leave your laundry to soak while you tub or shower. After bathing, apply your night cream. Then rinse out your garments.

The job is done quicker and proves less wearing on tender hands, if you use an undies plunger—the plastic suction gadget which draws suds and rinse water through fabric in an action that simulate a washing machine. While you work, be comforted with the thought that the steamy vapors from the wash waters increase your night cream's power to smooth your skin.

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Grants Approved For 23 Hospitals

Provincial government Friday authorized grants totalling $53,855 for 23 B.C. hospitals. The grants constituted one-third the cost of renovations and equipment.

Royal Jubile Hospital got $2,723; St. Joseph's, $343; West Coast General Hospital at Port Alberni, $4,575; Queen Alexandra Solarium, $5,000; Nanaimo General Hospital, $536.

Second Dog Trials

North Saanich Dog Obedience Club will hold its second trial at Sanscha Hall Thursday at 7.30 p.m., with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hudson of Victoria as judges.

PERSONAL MENTION

Following the final Victoria Symphony concert Monday evening, a reception will be given at the Art Gallery by the women's committee. Among those attending will be Mrs. Frank MacKenzie Ross, members of the orchestra and of the committee. On the receiving line will be Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barraclough, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Abbott and Dr. and Mrs. Jack Edmison. Pourers will be Mrs. J. G. Nordal, Mrs. Jack Gillespie assisted by Mrs. H. C. Gilliand, Mrs. D. Whitely, Mrs. J. T. Andrews, Miss Lottie Kaiser, Mrs. E. Bishop, Mrs. B. N. Weber, Mrs. C. R. Bachin, Mrs. W. T. Ford, Mrs. T. M. Crompton, Mrs. J. Fraser, Mrs. W. H. Walker and Miss Irene Sparks.

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Out-of-Town Guests

Out-of-town guests at the Garside-Smith wedding Saturday at Christ Church Cathedral included Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hucik with John, Steven and Marlene, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith from Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. D. Wilkie, Mr. and Mrs. R. Shandley, and Mr. and Mrs. K. Duncan from Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. A. Owen, Duncan; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. K. Wilson and Miss Carolyn Smith, Nanaimo, and Mr. and Mrs. S. McKenzie from Port Alberni.

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Gifts in Wishing Well

Gifts held in a wishing well made of spring flowers held the shower gifts of bride-elect Marilyn McKechnie at a party given for her by Mrs. R. A. Peterson, 2929 Mount Baker View Road. Corsages of pink rosebuds were presented to the bride-elect and white carnations to her mother, Mrs. N. McKechnie and to the groom's mother, Mrs. E. J. Harwood. Among the guests were Mrs. G. Harwood, Mrs. J. L. Hobbs, Mrs. B. Badger, Mrs. G. G. Williams, Mrs. D. Henderson, Mrs. L. Russell, Mrs. R Williams, Mrs L. Frates, Mrs. E. Badminton, Mrs. J. Caldwell, Mrs. E. E. Hobbs, Mrs. H. Riddle and the Misses Ann and Mary Ellen McKechnie; E. Lewis, C. Martin, Francis Martin, Mrs. B. Orr, Mrs. E. Harwood and Mrs. R. Smith.

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Staff Dinner Arranged

Guests at the Empress Hotel next week will include Mr. Peter C. Allen, president of Canadian Industries Limited and Mrs. Allen. A staff dinner has been arranged for the couple Thursday evening preceded by a cocktail party. Receiving guests will be Mr. R. B. Carpenter, CIL representative on James Island, and Mrs. Carpenter.

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Visiting in Toronto

Mrs. Gordon R. Hughes, of Victoria, is in Toronto this week as a guest at the Park Plaza Hotel until April 7.

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Travellers Sail South

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Alexander, 2800 Lincoln Road, sailed Friday from Vancouver aboard the Ss Himalaya for Los Angeles, where they will spend two weeks and then fly to Cleveland, Ohio, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Weiner and family.

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Novel Shower Theme

Model of the groom-elect's convertible held the shower gifts of Victoria bride-elect Miss Sandra Stewart, who will exchange vows with Mr. Rodney Cleaver April 18. The party in her honor was given by Miss Shirley Cleaver at the home of Mrs. Charles Nelson, Henry Road, Chemainus. On arrival, Miss Stewart received pink and white carnations with white heather. The invited guests included Mrs. A. Thorsteinson with daughters, Judy and Betty Ann, from Victoria; Mrs. W. Davis, Crofton; Mrs. R. Mast, Chemainus; Mrs. J. Brown, Sr. and Mrs. J. Brown, Jr., Mrs. D. Wright, Mrs. D. Leslie, Miss Beatha Brown, Mrs. W. Talbot, Mrs. D. Robertson, Miss Edwina Leslie, Mrs. D. Stott, Mrs. R. O'Dell, Mrs. A. Soderquist, Miss Ina Hutchison, Mrs. W. Hagan, all of Duncan; Mrs. J. Bulcock, Mrs. K. Scott, Mrs. C. Fleming, Mrs. C. Fairclough, Mrs. M. Hutchinson, Mrs. E. Richter, Mrs. G. Lamont and Mrs. W. Shawyer, Lake Cowichan.

HUGE CATHEDRAL

The cathedral at La Paz, Bolivia, which seats 12,000 worshippers, was begun in 1835 and dedicated in 1933.

Married in Ontario

Married in Listowel, Ont., on Saturday in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, were Mr. Sydney Terrence (Terry) White, son of Mr. and Mrs. George R. White, 3467 Happy Valley Road, Victoria, and Marlene Anne Dietrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dietrich, Listowel. After a short honeymoon in the United States the young couple will make their home in the eastern city.—(Russell studio)

Why They're Unhappy

Modern Women Incapable of Love

PARIS (WNS)—Is the real trouble with modern women that they aren't capable of loving?

Yes, says French novelist Anne-Marie de Vilaine.

"It is well known that the women of today are undergoing a crisis which is affecting the entire sex," the beautiful 24-year-old writer explained. "They are finding it more and more difficult to live with men or to live without them, when necessary. They are at odds with themselves and they are increasingly discontent and subject to illnesses, imaginary or otherwise.

"All of this is happening in a period when, by and large, women have been given more love by their husbands and children, as well as more attention from the world at large, than ever before. Compare the lot of women only a half-century ago to that of today's women and you will see what I mean."

Countless reasons have been ascribed to modern woman's dilemma, she pointed out. Every one from psychiatrists to philosophers has had a crack at diagnosing the problem. But none, she added, has offered what she regards as the fundamental — and very simple—answer.

"In their rush for equality, security, affection and 'importance in life,' modern women have somewhere lost the capacity for loving as deeply as their grandmothers or even their mothers," Mlle. de Vilaine contends. "Women say to me often, 'It is important to be loved and to love, but it isn't enough.'"

They respond to love, she declared, but they seldom offer it spontaneously. Responding or offering it, she added, it tends to be "conditional" and even limited. Even from their children they are inclined to seek "guarantees" in the guise of domination and excessive possessiveness.

Guide Leader Honored

For "service beyond the call of duty," Mrs. J. A. Moir, Guide leader with the Gonzales Division of the Canadian Girl Guides, was presented with a certificate of merit at the Empress Hotel Friday.

Mrs. Frank Mackenzie Ross made the presentation to Mrs. Moir and to 15 other leaders.

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